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BOND SALES $104,000

FARMERS GETTING INTERESTED IN LIBERTY LOAN ISSUE.

COUNTY BANKS REPORT

Total Sales Outside of Maryville Have Reached $57,000—One Week Left to Subscribe.

Bond sales reported to date:

Farmers Trust Company	$ 20,000
First National Bank	15,900
Nodaway Valley Bank	7,000
Real Estate Bank	4,000
Banks in other towns	57,000
By Boy Scouts	1,050
Total	$104,950

With seven days in which to secure subscriptions to the second issue of Liberty Loan Bonds Nodaway county has today $104,950 to its credit on its apportionment and it is expected that next week will see another $50,000 or $75,000 added to the loan.

With the banks as the recognized sources of information and where subscriptions may be made, no selling campaign having been inaugurated here as has been done in other towns and cities, the banks report increased interest in the Liberty Bond issue as information concerning it has been disseminated.

A report this morning from every bank in the county shows a larger interest than was shown in the first Liberty Loan issue. Outside of Maryville the Barnard State Bank has handled the largest number of subscriptions, which including the amount subscribed by the bank itself reached $15,000. The Bank of Hopkins reports the sale of $7,000 worth of bonds. Nineteen other banks in the county report subscriptions approximating $36,000. About half the total subscriptions that have been made are by farmers.

In all the Maryville banks today subscriptions are expected in various sums. Farmer patrons are in town for the purpose of investigating and getting the advice of their bankers and business friends and it is believed today's sales will reach $25,000.

DUCK HUNTING SEASON HERE

Deputy Game Warden Alex Gibbs Says They Will Be Plentiful in This Section This Year.

Duck hunters are getting their guns in shape for the hunting season, and some few parties have already been out to try their "luck." You can depend on it that ducks begin coming in at this season of the year when the winds begin to blow. Ducks and geese begin to move when the weather begins to change. So far not big bags have been reported, but deputy state game and fish warden Alex Gibbs says this season will be the best duck year for some time.

The wood duck, a native of this part of the country, Warden Gibbs says, is plentiful this year and is considered among the finest flavored meat to be had. Water courses and ponds are being watched for migratory flocks and hunting parties are being arranged by a number of Maryville devotees of the sport.

HAS POWER TO TAKE MINES

Dr. Garfield Will Ask President Wilson to Sanction Drastic Action Planned in Coal Situation.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Oct. 20.—Unless peace is restored in the central coal belt by Monday, President Wilson will be asked by Fuel Administrator Dr. Harry A. Garfield to sanction his plan for drastic action to be taken at once. This became known today when Dr. Garfield received from the attorney-general full definition of the powers given him by Congress. He was told that under them he can take over and operate mines and coal carrying railroads if necessary.

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses were issued today as follows: Orville Allen Wallace and Ida Hopkins, both of Maryville; Fred Wyatt of Barnard and Hattie Thompson of Maryville.

For Rent Front Office Room 16x20 feet, on ground floor, including fireproof vault 4x10 feet. Maco Print Shop, Corner Market and Third Street.

WAR BALLOON PASSES NEAR

Residents in Country Sight Sky Visitor Traveling Southward At Noon Today.

Residents of the county living a few miles west of Maryville began to have visions of German bombs about noon today when a big war balloon was sighted overhead. The big gas bag was traveling in a southerly direction at considerable height, but those who saw it were unable to determine how many occupants it carried. The sky visitor was senn by residents of Elmo, Quitman and Skidmore. The balloon was evidently from the balloon division of the army at Omaha, Neb.

11,000 CATTLE AT AUCTION

Unidentified Animals in Kansas City Stock Yards Fire Bring Over Half Million Dollars.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Oct. 20.—Figures today showed the biggest auction sale of cattle ever held in the country yesterday when 11,960 head of stockers and feeders brought over a half million dollars. Unidentified stuff from the fire which have been counted this far show over 11,000 head burned.

Six arrests have been made in connection with the fire, local and government officials being convinced that the fire was of incendiary origin and some interesting developments may come from partial confessions said to have been made by two men under arrest.

COUNTY FAIR BY SENIORS

High School Class Will Stage A "Big Show" to Raise Money for School Needs.

The beginning Senior class of the Maryville High School will put on a "county fair," Saturday night, November 3, at the school building, to raise money for the inter-state school meets and other school purposes.

The main show will be held in the auditorium and a number of side shows will be held in the various class rooms. Several free attractions will be put on while a big parade with over one hundred people will be the main feature of the evening's entertainment.

Everybody is invited to attend a fair put on by the best talent in the High school.

LIKE A "TYPHOON OF FIRE"

Cannonading On A Thirty-Mile Front At Flanders Can Be Plainly Heard in England.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, Oct. 20.—An artillery "battle of all nations, is raging today over a thirty mile front in Belgium. With British, French, Belgian, Portugese and German guns i naction again has the cannonading on the west Flanders front risen to such tensity as a "typhoon of fire" that it can be heard plainly in England. It is generally predicted by military experts that Field Marshal Haig is planning another gigantic drive.

27 KILLED IN GERMAN RAID

Airmen Visit the Business Section of London Early Today, Doing Much Damage.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, Oct. 20.—Twenty-seven persons were killed and fifty-three were wounded in the German air raid over England early today. These figures contained unofficial statement. Many bombs and airial torpedoes were thrown by the Germans. The most damage in the city was confined to out houses in business district.

Crack Safe, Get $20,000.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Middleville, Mich., Oct. 20.—Cracksmen blew the safe in the Farmers State bank and escaped with $20,000 and left behind a bag with $5,000 on the floor.

Bank Robbers Get $15,000.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Grand Rapids, Oct. 20.—Farmers State Bank at Alton dynamited last night and $15,000 taken. It is believed it is the same gang that robbed the Middleville Bank.

Plotted to Seize Mexico.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Paris, Oct. 20.—Tremendous sensation caused today by the announcement of Matin that Bolo Pasha, alleged German agent, was engaged in gigantic plot to enable Germany to seize Mexico.

Mrs. R. P. Hosmer and daughter, Margaret Louise went to St. Joseph today.

H. S. 46-SAVANNAH 6

THE HIGHS ROMPED TO AN EASY VICTORY IN YESTERDAY'S GAME.

NORMALS 0-SP'NGF'LD 56

Bearcats Were Outweighed and Outplayed by the Ozarkers—Game With Drury Eleven Monday.

Playing an exceptionally good forward passing game and taking advantage of Savannah's fumbles, Maryville High School romped to an easy victory over the Savannah High School football team yesterday afternoon on the Normal field. The score was 46-6.

Savannah never had a chance. Maryville's passes, Pickens to Egley, Pierpoint and Kemp soon made it only a question of how big a score the locals would be able to pile up. The first half ended 20-0. The second half added 26 more to the total. Savannah averted a shut out by breaking through for a touchdown in the last quarter.

The Maryville eleven looked like a real team in its victory yesterday. With Masters, Kemp, Wray and Fisher back in the game the strongest possible line-up was presented.

Every man on the team showed improved form over the Stanberry game. Honors for the success of the passing game must be divided among Egley, who received the passes for long gains, Pickens, the man who did the passing, and the line that did such good work in holding back the opposition until the pass was completed.

Kemp made the feature play of the game when he received a pass on his forty yard line, eluded two tacklers and raced sixty yards for a touchdown. He also played a strong defensive game.

Maryville's first touchdown came soon after the kickoff. Savannah received the kick but lost the ball when Lyle recovered a fumble. The touchdown was made by Pickens after a twenty yard pass to Egley, two five yard gains by Pierpoint and his own short end run for a gain of 10 yards. Egley kicked goal. Maryville 7, Savannah 0.

Savannah threatened to score near the end of the first quarter but an incomplete forward pass which went over the goal line gave the ball to Maryville on the twenty yard line. A beautiful forward pass on which Egley gained thirty-five yards took the ball out of danger. On substantial gains by Pickens, Pierpoint and Foreman, the ball was taken to Savannah's ten yard line.

Maryville's third touchdown was made by Pickens after a forward pass to Egley which netted thirty yards.

There was no more scoring in the first half. Maryville made two more touchdowns in the third quarter.

Masters and Kemp were hurt in the fourth quarter and French and King went in. The change weakened the team and Savannah made five successive first downs for their only touchdown of the game. During this period and throughout the game Castle starred for Savannah.

Masters was sent back in the game and Maryville again got going.

Out of twenty-three passes attempted by Maryville during the game, seventeen were successful. Five were incomplete and one was intercepted. The total distance gained by the overhead route was 340 yards.

The line-up:

Maryville—Egley, right end; Lyle, right tackle; Lawson, right guard; McPherron, center; Fisher, left guard; Masters, left tackle; Kemp, left end; Pierpoint, quarterback; Wray, right half; Foreman, left half; Pickens, full back.

Savannah—Driver, right end; Miller, right tackle; Martin, right guard; Nichols, center; Messic, left guard; Myers, left tackle; Roberts, left end; Duncan, quarterback; Castle, right half; Wakefield, left half; Bishop, fullback.

Substitutions: Maryville — French for Lawson, Lawson for French, French for Masters, King for Kemp. Savannah—Bishop for Driver.

Touchdowns—Pickens, 2; Egley, 2; Pierpoint, 2; Kemp, 1; Myers 1.

Goals from touchdown—Egley 4 out of 6 trys, Wakefield missed one try.

Score by quarters:

Maryville	7	13	13	13
Savannah	0	0	0	0

Officials: Referee, Walter Wray; Umpire, Ben Kyger; Head Linesman, K. R. Malotte.

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SCOUTS ARE AT IT

START BOND SELLING CAMPAIGN WITH OVER $1,000.

GET SERVICE EMBLEMS

Government Will Award Medals to Boy Scout Who Sells Ten or More Liberty Bonds.

With Boy Scouts in Troop I having secured applications for Liberty Loan bonds in sums totaling over $1,000 in a few hours this morning the five days selling campaign inaugurated by the Scouts to start Monday promised to materially aid the subscription list of this county.

Clothed with authority to secure subscriptions the Scouts were at it early this morning trying out their ability as salesmen. With a selling manual having been prepared by national headquarters and literature supplied, the Scouts knew just what to say to a prospective subscriber and the arguments that would prove most forceful. They went at it in a business like manner, showing how applicans should fill out the blank forms given them and giving such information as was asked for.

The first subscriber reported in the campaign was James Malcome, 622 East Second street, colored porter at Godsey's barber shop, who will invest a part of his savings in a Liberty Loan bond. Subscriptions reported by the Scouts were mostly for bonds of $50 denominations, with several for larger amounts.

Each Scout who sells ten Liberty Bonds to ten different persons will receive from the United States government a war service emblem, with additional medals given by national officers of the order.

With the selling campaign limited to five days beginning next Monday the work being done today is really preliminary, the public being acquainted with the program and being asked to co-operate.

At Burlington Junction.

The Boy Scouts met with Scoutmaster R. D. Corken and Rev. Horace S. Weaver and have outlined a campaign for the sale of Liberty Loan Bonds in Burlington Junction and vicinity, says the Burlington Junction Post.

The boys arranged to start their campaign with a parade, which will be given on Main street about three o'clock Saturday afternoon. The Scouts will carry their banners and if possible will have a band to furnish music for them.

The real work will start Monday morning when the Scouts will begin their campaign for the sale of bonds. They have divided the town into two sections. Carl Ferguson will captain the boys that go north of Main street and Raymond Harrington will be captain of the boys that solicit south of Main street. All will work in the country.

FINISHED 10,698 DRESSINGS

Shipment to National Headquarters by Local Units Today Included 2,133 Dressings.

Surgical dressings shipped this morning from local headquarters numbered 2,133, bringing the total number shipped from Nodaway county since June 1, to 10,698. Today's shipment included dressings from the Maryville, Country Club, Lasher, Ravenwood and Harmony units.

The Surgical Dressings society reports donations of pillows as follows: L. I. Club, of Hopkins, eleven; Willing Workers, of Bloomdale, twenty; Kindergarten at Normal, twelve; also pillows by the Buchanan Street Methodist Sunday School, I. X. L. Club, W. R. C., Mrs. W. G. Gross, Mrs. Hulda Blakely, Mrs. C. T. Warehime, Mrs. Florence Anderson, Miss Naomi Armstrong, Mrs. Eva Reaksecker, Mrs. I. A. Goodson of Ravenwood and Mrs. B. W. Thompson of Bedison.

One more shipment to be sent in about two weeks will include the work finished by the Ravenwood and Skidmore units, after which all the units will become auxiliaries of the Red Cross and will continue the work under the direction of that society.

Home From Four Months' Visit.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Whitton who returned last night from a four months' visit with relatives in Sheridan, Wyo., are now guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ballenger. Mr. and Mrs. Whitton are on their way to their home in Stanberry.

A TEUTON PLEDGE

Philadelphia Public Ledger.

GET HOOVER IDEA

MR. KENNEDY HAS A MESSAGE FOR MARYVILLE FOLKS.

FOOD ECONOMY, IS TOPIC

Representative of Missouri Council of Defense Will Speak Tonight in the Circuit Court Room.

"Food Economy" has come to be the watchword all over the country these days. It is an important war slogan, one which must be considered minutely by folk who wish to do their "bit." It will be the text of the address given at 8 o'clock tonight in the circuit court room by Bruce Kennedy, representative of the Hoover Food Administration at Washington, D. C., and also directly representing the Missouri Council of Defense, and its chairman, Dean F. B. Mumford, chairman, and Missouri food administrator. Mr. Kennedy comes to Maryville under the auspices of the Nodaway County Council of Defense, and arrived at noon today.

There are many "Hooverisms," in other words, many pieces of advice given the peoples of county, city and state as to how food economic conditions may be observed. Men, to fight must eat—in leaving their families behind must know they will be provided with food for their bodies, that they will not want. A battle, to be won, must have pep and zeal and determination, and its fighters, to possess these must have been fed with at least necessities. Our allies need the food which is wasted every day by us, and because of all this, Herbert Hoover, known as one of the most important men in war affairs, has laid out certain plans and ideas, which if observed will work to the making of, not only better fighters, but better conditions in this country. Bruce Kennedy is one of the men who preach Mr. Hoover's doctrines in various parts of the country. He has been lecturing on food conservation in various parts of Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma, and comes recommended as a most efficient speaker in his line. He brings the "food man's" big idea of co-operation of individuals, committees and organizations, and of worth while concerted movements.

Mr. Kennedy is said to speak in large part to the housewife. For she is the soldier who must attack, who must know no retreat, and who if necessary, must cross "No Man's Land" in pursuit of the enemy—wastefulness.

Nodaway county, always a leader in a movement for the betterment of the states, is expected to concentrate with enthusiasm on food conservation, after the meeting tonight, and to accomplish even more telling results than in previous weeks.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

TRIED TO AVOID SHORTAGE

Mayor Robey Says He Foresaw Coal Conditions and Did What He Could to Overcome It.

"The coal situation is a serious proposition," said Mayor A. S. Robey today, when asked what the outlook was for gettting coal. Said the mayor "I am afraid that those who did not avail themselves of the opportunity to secure their winter's supply of coal missed a golden opportunity. I foresaw the coal situation early in the summer and tried in a feeble way to partially overcome it."

"I just received a letter this morning from the Leavenworth mines stating that the government was now taking over their coal for Fort Leavenworth, and that they would not be able to make shipment under sixty days. I have done all that I could to prevent a shortage of coal in our city and believe I am safe in saying that there are more widows and wage earners and people of moderate circumstances that have coal in their bins at this season of the year than has been the case in Maryville for many years past."

A "HIGH OLD TIME" SPOILED

A. E. Riley, Dorothy Price and Stella Brandt Are Sorry Now They Came Here From St. Joseph.

A. E. Riley, arrested during fair week, again run afoul of the law yesterday when he came to Maryville from St. Joseph in company with two women and a man. The quartette secured rooms at a local hotel and proceeded to have a "high old time." Police officer Eph Tilton disturbed their revelries last night and two women who gave their names as Dorothy Price and Stella Brandt, together with Riley were placed under arrest. The other man got away. In police court today the two women were fined $100 each and being unable to produce the cash were locked up in the city bastile. Riley was fined $35.25, which he paid this afternoon.

Ed Gingrich left this afternoon for Camp Funston, Kan., to visit his two brothers, Orlo and Roy Gingrich, who are in training there.

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* THE WEATHER *
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Somewhat unsettled this afternoon followed by partly cloudy tonight and Sunday; colder tonight in the northwest portion.

U. S. TRANSPORT SUNK BY U-BOAT

AMERICAN TROOP SHIP ANTILLES WAS HOMEWARD BOUND.

167 SURVIVORS ARE BEING BROUGHT BACK

An Accurate List of the Missing Cannot be Given Until General Pershing Sends Names.

Special to The Democrat-Forum

Washington, Oct. 20.—Survivors of the American troop transport Antilles sunk by a German submarine with loss of seventy lives are being brought to this country by the warship convoy that was with the transport when submarined. It was first thought the survivors would be taken to England or France. The President omitted his usual golf game and remained at the White House. No explanation was forthcoming.

Washington, Oct. 20.—The American army transport Antilles, homeward bound under convoy, was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine in the war zone Wednesday. About seventy men are missing and probably lost.

All the army and navy officials aboard and the ship's master were among the 167 survivors. The missing are members of the crew, three civilian engineers, some enlisted men of the navy, and seventeen of thirty-three soldiers returning home for various reasons. Neither the submarine nor the torpedo was seen and the transport, hit squarely amidships, sank in five minutes.

This tragedy of the sea, the first in which an American ship engaged in war duty has been lost, is the first of its magnitude to bring home to the people of the United States the rigors of the war in which they have engaged against Germany. It carries the largest casualty list of the war of American lives and marks the first success of German submarine attacks on American transports.

That the loss of life was not greater is due to the safeguards with which the navy has surrounded the transport service and the quick rescue work of the convoying warships.

Daniels Issues Statement.

Secretary Daniels announced the disaster in a statement based upon a brief dispatch from Vice Admiral Sims which gave few details and did not say whether it was a day or night attack. An accurate list of the missing cannot be issued until Gen. Pershing reports the names of the army men on the vessel and the list of the merchant crew. Following is the announcement:

"The department is in receipt of a dispatch from Vice Admiral Sims which states that the steamship Antilles, an army transport, was torpedoed on Oct. 17, while returning to this country from foreign service. This vessel was under convoy of American patrol vessels at the time.

MISSOURI BOY AMONG LOST

J. W. Hunt Is Son of Farmer Living Near Mountain Grove — Was 21 Years Old.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Springfield, Mo., Oct. 20.—J. W. Hunt, one of the sailors reported lost on the transport Antilles is the son of Isaac Hunt, a farmer residing six miles west of Mountain Grove, Mo.

He enlisted at Indianapolis last October, when war clouds were hovering over the United States. He got his preparatory training at the Great Lakes training station.

Only a week ago Hunt wrote his father a long letter in which he described his trip to and from France on an American transport. When told tonight that his son was among the missing, Mr. Hunt took the news calmly.

Young Hunt was 21 years old.

Feature Tonight
Empire Theatre
5 and 10 cents

Brady Made Pictures, With
Ethel Clayton the Petite Little Star, in
Souls Adrift
A delightful story of a deserted island.

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MORE TO COME.

The reader who finds a good deal about the Liberty Loan, the camp environs fund and other reminders to duty staring at him from the front page of the paper these days may not esteem it absorbing news, particularly as it is of a character just now to indicate that he is not coming up to the mark in the matter of shelling out.

This newspaper, says the Kansas City Star, would be happy to offer him a little comfort if it could, but it is afraid it can't. It might recommend him to move to some other country where the run of news might be more to his liking, but where is there such a country? Where could he go to escape the war or the evidences of it? In some countries they would slap him in the army, in others they would slap him in jail. In all he would have to read in his newspaper that somebody—the government or the Red Cross—would drop in on him during the day and hang him up by the heels.

He might as well stay where he is and face it. The country is at war, and the principal news of the war just now is not of battles fought, but of money being raised to pay for the battles when they come to be fought. There is going to be an increasing amount of this news from now on. If he thinks there is a lot of it now he is in mighty poor shape to stand what's coming.

Frankly, this newspaper guesses that the days will be mighty few, from now until the end of the war, when it won't be printing something—and probably a good deal—about some campaign or another for the raising of money. Persons who feel that they are not going to be able to stand it can only be assured, by way of comfort, that nearly everybody can stand a great deal more than he thinks he can, especially when he has to.

Mrs. Truman Worst of Lincoln, Neb., who has been visiting Mrs. Isabelle Worst, left today for her home.

DR. W. W. TURNER

OSTEOPATH

Treatment of bowel, liver and nervous diseases a specialty.

Office over Alderman-Yehle Store
Both Phones.

Revival at Baptist Church Starts Sunday, October 28

DR. E. F. WRIGHT.

Beginning October 28 and continuing indefinitely, Dr. E. F. Wright, of Williamsburg, Ky., will conduct a revival at the First Baptist church with services held each night. Dr. Wright will be accompanied by his singer, David N. Hughes, of Newport, Ky., who will train a large choir and the music will be an important feature of the meetings.

Dr. Wright is one of the leading ministers of the Baptist denomination, his church of more than 700 members at Williamsburg being known as the "family church." Dr. Wright is well known in Missouri, where he has held pastorates at Nevada and at Moberly. A graduate of Mercer University of Georgia and The Louisville Theological Seminary, he was also given the degree of LL. D., at William Jewell College.

U. S. SECRET AGENTS KILLED HIS PEACE PLAN.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Denver, Colo., Oct. 20.—The war must continue its devastating course and peace for stricken Europe is far off, all because too discriminating secret service agents couldn't recognize Smith Roswell's masterly statesmanship.

Roswell admitted in a letter to the United States naval officer commanding the former German steamship Vaterland, while it was interned in New York harbor, that as a peace apostle he'd make William Jennings Bryan, Henry Ford and others look like small town "peanut politicians." He knew his plan couldn't fail.

Roswell is employed by a local packing concern, and apparently the slaughter in Europe together with the daily slaughter of animals where he spent his ten-hour day was growing nauseating. So Roswell conceived the plan of heading an expedition of statesmen, military leaders and prominent citizens to run over to Berlin, have a personal and friendly chat with the Kaiser and persuade him to call off hostilities. The United States would designate Roswell an "honorary captain of the army" in order to enhance the dignity of his leadership, so the letter read. He anticipated some little opposition from the Prussian militarists, but felt certain that the leader of the Hohenzollern dynasty would listen to reason.

The letter fell into the hands of Government authorities in New York, and after a heart-to-heart talk with secret service agents here, Roswell decided not to launch his expedition at this time.

To Tell of Road Meeting.

The weekly luncheon and business session of the directors of the Maryville Commercial Club will be at noon Monday at the Elks club. E. M. Claypool, secretary will tell of the highway meeting held this week at Chillicothe, Mo.

At a meeting of Macon county bankers the other day it was decided that newspaper advertising so far excels calendars and similar methods that a resolution was adopted wherein all the banks of the county record their determination to use the newspapers exclusively hereafter as a means of publicity.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

DON'T OVERHEAT, SAVE COAL

Everybody Do This and Hundreds of Tons of Coal Will Be Saved in Maryville.

Avoid over-heating your house this winter.

Do not let the temperature stay above 68 degrees.

Everybody do this and millions of tons of coal will be saved in this country.

This will mean:

More coal to prosecute the war.

Smaller annual fuel bills.

Improvement in the health of the people.

Dr. H. A. Garfield, the government's fuel administrator, says:

"It is the duty of every American to save coal this winter. If every family will save a ton of coal, if every industrial plant will save 10 per cent of the coal it uses, which 10 per cent is now wasted, the coal problem will be largely solved."

Several channels of heat waste common in American homes were pointed out by the state board of health in a statement today. One is the chimney, through which an enormous amount of heat is wasted. Windows and loosely constructed roofs provide other means of loss. At a time like this, when fuel is scarce and the government needs all the coal it can get for war work, all such leakages should be stopped as much as possible.

From a health standpoint the use of less coal has an important bearing. Overheating of homes, offices and other buildings is the rule rather than the exception, according to the statement quoted. A reduced temperature will save coal and be less injurious to the human body.

Thermostats, which automatically turn on and shut off the heat as required, even while the dwellers sleep, are one means for preventing overheating and saving coal. Intelligent handling of the heating plant, however, is the most important requirement in the task of conserving the coal supply in the American home.

EXPECT BIG HOLIDAY RUSH

Do Your Christmas Mailing Early, Will Be Slogan at Post Office—Merchants Get Ready.

It will not be many days now until the holiday rush is on and Maryville merchants are going to have the biggest business in their history. They are expecting it and already are preparing plans for taking care of the big trade. There are several reasons for a record business this year because there is more money in circulation, this year's crops are bigger and better and the spirit of giving is being developed to a larger extent than ever before.

While merchants are beginning to lay their plans, Postmaster James Todd is also preparing to handle a record amount of business and within a short time signs will be posted in the postoffice urging all to do their "Christmas mailing early."

A good many people are having to feed their cows the same as in midwinter, since there has not been sufficient rain to keep the grass growing.—Bethany Republican.

Sunday Services at Local Churches

First Church of Christ Scientist.
206 South Main street.
Sunday school at 9:45.
Morning worship at 11 o'clock.
Subject of the Lesson Sermon, "Doctrine of Atonement."
No Sunday night service.
Midweek prayer services at 8 o'clock Wednesday night.
Reading room changed to the church building on South Main street. Open from 2 until 5 o'clock on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons.
Every one welcome to the reading room and to all the services.

First Baptist.
T. H. Wiles, pastor.
Sunday school at 9:30.
Morning worship at 11.
Anthem.
Solo.
Sermon, "The Sufficiency of Grace."
B. Y. P. U. at 6:30.
Evening service at 7:30.
Anthem.
Sermon, "The Cry of the Devil."

First Methodist.
Gilbert S. Cox, pastor.
Sunday School at 9:30.
Subject of men's class, "Hosea, the Prophet of Love."
Morning worship at 10:45.
Sermon, "What to Make of Life's Mysteries."
Epworth League at 6:30.
Evening worship at 7:30.
Sermon, "The New Crusaders."
Special music at both services under the direction of Marcus T. Nielsen.

First Presbyterian.
S. A. Coile, pastor.
Sunday School at 9:45, Dr. A. N. Gray, Supt.
Morning worship at 11.
Sermon, "Except Ye Repent."
Christian Endeavor at 6:45.
Topic, "Putting Religion into Politics."
Evening worship at 7:30.
Sermon, "The Knowledge that Brings Us Good."

First Christian.
C. Emerson Miller, pastor.
Sunday School at 9:30.
Morning worship at 10:45.
Anthem, "O For A Heart to Praise" (Kucken and Snelling).
Offertory, "Offertorie," (A. Valenti).
Sermon, "The Christian Altar."
Christian Endeavor at 6:45.
Evening service at 7:30.
Anthem, "Jesus is Mine," (Wolcott).
Offertory, "Slumber Song," (Bizet).
Sermon, "Our Duty to Posterity."

South Methodist Church.
R. C. Holliday, pastor.
Sunday School at 9:30.
Morning worship at 10:45.
Sermon, "The Present Crisis in the Kingdom of God."
Epworth League at 6:30.
Evening service at 7:30.
Sermon, "Fagots for Fire."
Special music at both services.

St. Patricks Church.
Father Henry F. Niemann, pastor.
Low Mass at 8.
High Mass, with sermon at 10.
Evening devotions at 7:30.

St. Mary's Church.
Father Odillo Schieber, O. S. B., pastor.
Low mass at 8.
High mass with sermon at 10.
Evening worship at 7.

Four Farms Change Hands.

W. R. Groves, real estate dealer at Maitland, sold four farms this week, the total consideration amounting to $55,400. One was a 20-acre farm which sold for $3,200; one 120-acre farm sold for $19,800; 160 acres sold for $22,400 and an 80-acre farm which sold for $10,000.

Former Residents Visit Here.

Mrs. Fayette Smith and daughters, Misses Martha and Stella Smith, of Modesto, Calif., arrived last night for an extended visit with Mrs. George P. Bellows and other Maryville friends. Mrs. Smith and daughters were former residents of Maryville.

Spring Blooming Bulbs

must be planted during October and November. They stay in the ground all winter, come up and bloom in the spring.

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Helping To Win The War

George Ade's Advice To Boys

(By George Ade)

Assuming that this letter is now being read by some boy or girl old enough to go to school but still young enough to be called a "kid" by those who don't know any better) let us begin by asking the question, "Is it wrong to fight?"

Every boy or girl with civilized parents can answer that question.

It is not to be answered by "yes" or "no."

If we say "yes," we admit at once that our old friends George Washington and U. S. Grant were depraved characters, because they fought and then kept on fighting.

If Buffalo Bill once upon a time rode out across the plains and came upon a band of Indians attacking a settler's cabin and went dashing up with his scouts and killed a few redskins, is there any boy in the world who would go back on Buffalo Bill and pick out some quiet, elderly real estate dealer as a substitute here?

It's too foolish to talk about.

Suppose we say it is not wrong to fight. Then we remove all blame from the Indians that Buffalo Bill killed and we find ourselves so mixed up that probably we had better back up and take a new start.

In answer to the question, "Is it wrong to fight," there can be but one sensible reply, as follows: "It all depends."

Suppose a boy of 14 is walking along the street with his sister and the neighborhood bully swaggers around the corner and pushes the boy up against a fence and cuffs him alongside the head and then tries some insulting familiarities on the sister, and suppose the boy who is thus humiliated and whose sister is in tears, suddenly remembers that he has been told to "keep out of fights!"

What shall he do?

Retreat to an alley or stand up in defense of his own self-respect and try to protect his sister?

Suppose he says to the bully, "I believe in peace and no matter what you do to me, I won't strike back."

Then he would get a few more cuffs for good measure, and his sister would be ashamed of him and he would be ashamed of himself and the little rowdy who attacked him would call himself a cock of the walk and be a greater nuisance than ever before.

The United States of America is involved in hideous war because President Wilson and Congress and all persons who are warmed by red blood instead of being chilled by sarsaparilla pop had to make the same decision that every boy is called upon to make when he is jumped upon by a tough customer.

Another question (boys only) Did you ever let a boy up before he yelled "Enough" and then have the whole fight over again?

If so, you might go around in your neighborhood and give some valuable information to people older than yourself.

If you (this is for both boys and girls) went out into the woods for a picnic with another "bunch" of young people you knew and liked, and if your crowd had a basket of things to eat and the other crowd had a basket and some toughies came along and stole the basket belonging to the other crowd, would you give them something to eat out of your basket, or let them sit over by themselves, hungry and miserable, and watch you stuff yourselves?

You'd play fair, of course, even if you had to go a little hungry.

Mr. Hoover is now asking every boy and girl in America to play fair and divide up with the hungry youngsters of France and Belgium and Great Britain.

There isn't enough food in the world to go around if we are selfish and claim more than our share.

How can a boy or girl under high-school age really help to win the war?

First join the Junior Red Cross.

Then keep on saying, "I know Uncle Sam is right and I will pull for him until he wins."

Believe what you say.

Root for the U. S. A. as you would root for your baseball nine or your basketball five.

Stand out on the edge of the sidewalk and cheer the soldiers as they swing by.

If you get a chance to hold yarn for a Red Cross knitter, do your "bit," and say to yourself, when your arms begin to get tired: "I am helping on a pair of socks, and these socks will keep a soldier warm and prevent him from being ill or discouraged. When the time comes for him to fight he will be in better condition and more willing to fight because he had these warm socks to wear. He will climb over the top of a trench and help to chase the Germans back to where they belong. There will be a great victory, and I will share in it because I held the yarn that knit the socks that warmed the feet that carried the man that chased the German that obeyed a Kaiser that has to be licked before the world can go back to housekeeping."

Probably the children to whom we are now talking are better posted regarding United States history than are some of the people who talk about it.

The children have got the Declaration of Independence and the Emancipation Proclamation freshly in mind and know what they were about and why.

They know that this country is dead set against slavery, either of the old-fashioned kind of chains and shackles or the modern sugar-coated German variety.

They know that our boys now in the training camps or on their way to France are getting ready to fight against the oppressions of a cruel despot, just as some other American boys once fought at Bunker Hill.

By the way, if you can find a man or woman who does not understand how the rights of a democracy are to be preserved when kings go on the rampage, you might loan this ignorant person your school history. Mark the pages relating to the Boston Tea Party, the Liberty Bell, Lexington, Valley Forge, and Yorktown.

See if you can find any favorable mention of the pacifists of 1776!

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Freemont, O.—"I was passing through the critical period of life, being forty-six years of age and had all the symptoms incident to that change—heat flashes, nervousness, and was in a general run down condition, so it was hard for me to do my work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me as the best remedy for my troubles, which it surely proved to be. I feel better and stronger in every way since taking it, and the annoying symptoms have disappeared."—Mrs. M. Godden, 925 Napoleon St., Fremont, Ohio.

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(Continued from page 1.)

Normal 0; Springfield 56.

Minus the services of three regulars, Captain Hahn, left end Neal, and left guard Hartman, the Normal football team was defeated at Springfield yesterday 56-0. Coach Palfreyman's telegram reads as follows: "Outplayed, outweighed ten pounds to man. Men in good shape."

The team will remain in Springfield until Monday when they will meet Dan Nee's Drury Collegians. Drury has played one game this year, defeating Henry Kendall College. They play St. Louis University today.

The Bearcats will return home after the Drury game, arriving Tuesday morning.

Tarkio College was defeated by Missouri Wesleyan yesterday 14-7.

Aubrey and Virgil Lyle will leave tomorrow in their car, on a business trip to points in Nebraska.

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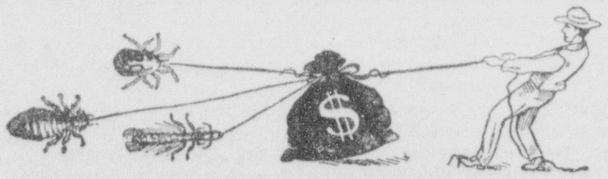

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'FAKING' THE ENEMY

"CAMOUFLAGE" IS SCIENTIFIC FOOLISHNESS TO SAVE LIVES.

THE ART IS AGES OLD

Was First Used by Greeks Who Built Giant Wooden Horse to Aid in Assault on Troy.

(By Thomas Garrett)

"Camouflage," explains Thomas Garrett, editor of The American Art Student and known as a painter in oils, "applied purely to the art of painting might be termed the 'art of painting out objects of military value for the purposes of concealment from the enemy.' I do not suppose at the present minute that there are a handful of people in this country that do not know something of the discovery, so widely has it been talked of, but of its military value and of the science, if science it can be called, very little is known. However, the press has taken up the name in jest and since it bids fair to become a part of our own particular American vocabulary, it probably will be shortly understood from coast to coast.

"Camouflage, considered as the art of that name, is a discovery with the present war, but it really has been in existence at least since the Greeks took Troy. It will be remembered in the story of the fall of Troy the Greeks employed a wooden horse of gigantic dimensions filled with their own men, to gain an entrance into the city. The American Indian employed it when he hid himself behind a bush and shot from cover. That is really all it is, but of much greater development just as modern artillery is a development over that of previous wars. The phrase itself had its origin in the French music halls and literally means 'fakir.'

"There are a number of stories of how it came to be used in its present proportions. One of them runs that in a battle earlier in the war an ingenious French poilu who was overlooking the scene of battle, noted that on a hill off at the right of the parallel line of trenches and over which the artillery had advanced, were a number of dead horses. Perhaps he remembered the famous fable of Troy. Perhaps merely the need of information of the German line was the stimulant that inspired him. At any rate under cover of the darkness he made his way out to a carcass of one of the animals well up the side of the hill, and after some hours' work, managed to skin it. The skin he took back to camp with him and with several of his comrades stuffed it. They left an opening though, and then protected by a barrage from their particular section of trench they returned the carcass to its former place and the soldier crawled inside. At this point he lay hour after hour and reported the movements of the enemy. It was some time before the deception was discovered. This is said to have been the real beginning of camouflage in the present war. Stories are also told of how ingenious fellows have constructed dummy guns that recoil and flash powder much as if they had fired real discharges. Old boots lying out beyond the trench parapets and broken stakes from the barbed wire entanglements have concealed periscopes for days. Aeroplane sheds have been made to look like wheat fields to the eyes of the birdmen and locomotives like workmen's cottages. So you see it is not all the work of the painter.

"There was one important piece of camouflage, I am told, that was performed by painters. This was on a long road back of Verdun. It became necessary to move many French troops up to the support of the defenders and since the road over which they would have to pass was under constant fire from the German guns it had to be painted out. Thousands of yards of canvas were used and the road was covered at the top and sides for a stretch of some miles. This was painted to represent the landscape of the surrounding country and the troops were moved in comparative safety.

Liberty Loan Halts Strike.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

San Francisco, Oct. 20.—As a matter of patriotism the strike of 11,000 girls employed by the Pacific Telephone company has been postponed by the union leaders until after Liberty Loan campaign ends.

Cashier Robbed of $10,000.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Springfield, O., Oct. 20.—Assistant cashier of a manufacturing company was held up and robbed of $10,000 in currency this morning.

Miss Stella Donahue, who teaches school near Conception, is visiting over Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Donahue.

Society and Clubland

By MISS LUTA MOODY.
Hanamo, 42. Farmers, 114

Married in Paragould, Ark.

Will Linneman of Maryville and Miss Elizabeth Kueter of Paragould, Ark., were married Tuesday morning at the St. Mary's Catholic church in Paragould, the Rev. Father Hoslinger officiating. The bride is well known in Maryville, having made her home here for the last year. Mr. Linneman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Linneman of Maryville. Mr. and Mrs. Linneman arrived in Maryville Thursday night, and will make their home here.

Mrs. Vulgamott Entertains.

Mrs. Ed Vulgamott entertained the Herron Homemaking club at her home northeast of Maryville on Wednesday afternoon, October 17. The afternoon was spent socially. A dainty luncheon was served by the hostess. Those present were: Mrs. Frank Hall, Mrs. A. E. Cockayne, Mrs. V. A. Guthrie, Mrs. S. E. Fisher, Mrs. J. C. F. Taylor, Mrs. Charles Porter, Mrs. L. E. White, Mrs. Ernest McDowell, Miss Mary Taylor, Miss Esther Neidel and the hostess. The next meeting will be with Mrs. L. E. White, Wednesday, October 31.

Mrs. Riffle Entertains Club.

The Lend-A-Hand circle met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Mary Kost Riffle. All members but Mrs. Bessie King were present. The club members packed two barrels of fruit and vegetables to send to the Sheltering Arms Home at St. Joseph. There are forty-one children and eleven of whom are babies, at the orphanage, all dependent on charity. Though the membership of the club has been lessened, the spirit of goodwill is broadening, and willing hands and hearts have contributed to the support of these helpless children. Light refreshments were served by the hostess. The free-will offering amounted to eighty cents. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Alice Broyles, who is president of the club.

Celebrate Twenty-first Birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cockayne entertained at a three-course 6 o'clock dinner Thursday night in honor of the twenty-first birthday of their son, Walter Wilson. Following dinner games and music furnished plenty of entertainment for the guests. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cockayne and children, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Gingrich, Mrs. Dick Brooks of Quitman, Mrs. Will Heflin, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Bancroft, Misses Lora McDowell, Gertrude Smith, Alta Doyle, Lois Wiley, Ada Gingrich, and Pearl Booth, Cecil Grooms, Sam Vulgamott, Arthur Wilson and John Ritter.

Aid Society of Graham Christian Church to Have Bazaar.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Christian church at Graham held an all-day meeting yesterday at the home of Mrs. P. L. Trapp, with Mrs. W. E. Crawford as assistant hostess. At the noon hour a chicken dinner was served, for which the members were charged ten cents. A number of other persons also took dinner, and this money will be used for the benefit of the Aid society.

The Christian church people are preparing for a bazaar to be held in December on the dates of the corn show. They expect to serve dinner on each of the three days.

Mrs. John Wilson, Mrs. Dave Riley and Mrs. Fannie Hasty will have charge of the apron booth and Mrs. P. L. Trapp will be in charge of the fancy work booth.

There will be a comfort booth, which will be in charge of Mrs. Jim Loffer. A number of other booths have been arranged for. The members of the Aid society have been working for several weeks for this coming event.

Keeping Yourself Well

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people need a good tonic that will send the blood tingling through the body, enrich it by improving the digestion, and clean it by expelling the waste matter. Health is a matter of plenty of rich blood, free from impurities.

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Three oCrrespondents Visit a Part of the Battle Lines — Some Dull Days.

(By N. C. Parke, International News Service Staff Correspondent at Field Headquarters of the American Expeditionary Force in France).

Somewhere in France, Oct. 20. — Just now the Argonne forest is no place for a man aching for a scrap. Vauquois Plateau, where thousands of French and Germans met death in bloody combat, is as quiet on these sunny Autumn days as the Polo Grounds in midwinter. Barring an occasional thunder roll from far away batteries and an hourly reciprocal bombardment by French and German guns, the noisiest thing that stirs the valleys is the twitter of the birds.

A young French officer, returning to his trench sector from a village a short distance behind the front, escorted three correspondents to a position from which a wide stretch of the Argonne front could be easily seen. Our car sped through an utterly deserted village, devastated by the retreating Germans after the battle of the Marne and more completely ruined by later bombardments.

That road led straight out into a great amphitheatre bordered by the ruins of old trenches.

"See those sticks?" said our escort, pointing to a row plainly visible to the naked eye along the top of a hill to our left. "There are the Boches' barbed wire and trenches. He has a few batteries in that woods. If he was energetic he might give us a few shells."

The German positions were getting uncomfortably nearer. We left the car under a slight rise in the ground and started on foot across a field to seek cover behind a hill held by the French. We had barely clambered out of the car when a shell burst 600 yards ahead in a field near the road over which our car had been speeding.

"Well, he did try one on us," laughed the French officer, "but it was a bad one. I'll wire the Kaiser to take away his Iron Cross."

Over in the dugouts behind the French trench line an assortment of poilus were whittling away at knicknacks, playing cards or taking cat naps. The dull boom of guns came across the intervening hills from the Verdun front, only a few kilometers away. Our escorting officer led the way on up over the hilltop past an anti-aircraft gunner who wished us "bon jour" and laughed because he hadn't seen a German for many days.

At an artillery observation post our coming was an event. The officer in charge confided that it was a dull life. The Germans hadn't sent a shell his way for a long time. He was glad to meet newcomers and mighty glad to break the monotony of a day's work by pointing out the Boche trenches in the valley below and the great Vauquois mine crater on the yellow side of Vauquois plateau. No sign of life came from trenchland. At one point where a "V"-shaped German trench seemed almost to run into a "V"-shaped French trench—only sixty feet separated them—there had been a little grenade tossing a few hours earlier, when poilus and Boches needed warming up exercises after breakfast. That was all.

Back we went to the officer's dugout for quite palatable war bread and wine.

"War out here," he said as we were leaving, "moves like molasses."

REMOVAL Notice — From 409½ North Main street to South Methodist Flats. Lininger & Lininger, Chiropractors.

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Airmen in the great war are using WRIGLEY'S regularly.

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Tuesday, October 23

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J. H. HARVEY'S ANNUAL SALE

Wednesday, October 24

70 Head—42 Fall and Spring Gilts, 28 Boars

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Catalogs ready now—Send for one

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FOR SALE—Jersey cow, 3 years old giving milk. L. H. Geist, 123 West Fifth street. 18-20

FOR SALE—Hand picked Jonathan apples. J. R. Evans, Farmers 15-13. 18-20

FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorn cockerels. Call Farmers phone 16-14. 20-23*

FOR SALE—Onions, cheap, the White Denver and some red ones. Eldon Gray, Farmers phone 23-0-13. 20-23*

FOR SALE—Winesap and Ben Davis apples, either at farm or in town. H. J. Lind, 4 miles east on State road. Hanamo phone 3X. 19-22

FOR SALE—1916 model 5-passenger touring Ford, will sell right, no junk heap. J. J. Heifner. 18-20

WANTED

WANTED—Boy to work in printing office. Apply at this office.

WANTED—To buy gasoline engine 1½ to 2½ horse power. Hanamo phone 370, Farmers 108. 20

WANTED—Two experienced painters at Roy Gross Decorating Co., 131 North Ave. 20-23*

WANTED—To buy all kinds of feathers. Sanitary Mattress Co., both phones. 20-23*

WANTED—Work on farm by middle aged man, job by the year. Inquire of George B. Baker, Real Estate Bank. 15-20*

WANTED—All kinds of feather beds to make into matiresses and mattresses to be made over. We make a specialty of making over cotton, wool and hair mattresses. Sanitary Mattress Co., Han. 440, Far. 251. 20-23*

WANTED—Every man in Nodaway county to attend our sale Tuesday, October 23, and buy a pig from the greatest Chester White herd ever offered in Maryville and raise pork to feed our boys to down the Kaiser. F. B. Goodspeed & Son. 16-22

WANTED—To repair and recharge your storage batteries. Rental batteries for you car while yours is being repaired. Exchange your old batteries in on new ones. Willard Storage Battery Service Station, both phones. J. L. Fisher. 9tf

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTS POSITION—Girl, 14 years old, assist with housework and care for children. Inquire 416 South Mulberry. 19-22*

PLUMBING—We make a specialty of installing modern plumbing in old houses and remodeling old plumbing; estimates free. Standard Plumbing Co., Hanamo 46.

LOOK OUT—For the big Chester White Hog Sale next Wednesday, October 24th, at Gray's Sale Pavilion, Maryville, Mo. I don't claim to have the best hogs in the world, for you know I always let the hogs show for themselves. So come in boys, and let them show you we are all Missourians. J. H. Harvey. 19

LOST

LOST—An automobile number plate Missouri. Dr. G. H. Leach. 19-22

LOST—Between Maryville and Clarinda, Ia., beaver muff. Reward, E. H. Bainum. 18-20*

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping. Call at 315 West Seventh St., or call Han. 306. 19-23*

FOR RENT—One large office room in Michau building. Possession can be given Nov. 1. Inquire 219 West Second street. 19tf.

FOR RENT—8-room house, good well, cistern, cellar, located on East Third street. Phone D. S. Angell, Hanamo 4564. 18-20

FOR RENT—Modern residence on corner lot, 8 rooms, bath, oak finish downstairs, hot water, electric light, cement basement, garage and laundry room in basement, large closets and pantry, sleeping porch, and other conveniences. Mrs. G. A. Nash, Hanamo phone 10. 16-20

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Oct. 20. — CORN — Dec., $1.14¾; May, $1.08¼.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Oct. 20.— CATTLE— Receipts, 1,500; nothing good.

HOGS—Receipts, 1,000; top, $16.70; bulk, $15.50@$16.60.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Oct. 20. — CATTLEK Receipts, 2,000; market, weak.

HOGS—Receipts, 11,000; market, 20c to 25c lower; top, $16.75.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Oct. 20.—CATTLE— Receipts, 4,000; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 2,800; market, 25c lower; top, $16.25.

German Zeppelins Shot Down.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Paris, Oct. 20.—Three German Zeppelins that attempted to raid the French coast were shot down by a French cannon today. One was near Saint Clement, another near Rambervillers. Unofficially reported the crews were killed. The aircrafts were the largest and most powerful typs.

Sets Day For Prayer.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Oct. 20.—On account of resolution adopted by Congress asking the President to name a day for supplication and prayer, President Wilson issued a proclamation fixing October 28.

Will Mexico Join Allies?

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Mexico City, Oct. 20.—A resolution calling on Mexico t ojoin the Allies was introduced in the senate today. A number of senators expressed the opinion that the relations between Mexico and Germany would be severed within a fortnight.

Mrs. Harry Todd returned Tuesday night from Des Moines, Ia., where she was called by the death of her father, W. E. Humphrey.

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Maryville, Missouri

Will be out of my dental office from **October 15th until November 1st.**

November appointments may be arranged with the office girl from 1:30 until 5:30 afternoons.

DR. D. J. THOMAS.

Kings Without Countries

By G. KAY SPENCER

NICHOLAS, THE TSAR.

The great fear of the unknown flows cold in the veins of the Romanoffs, and Nicholas, of the existing blood, is cursed with a great and consuming fear; a morbid, hell-bound fear of the blood of his ancestral line, members of which, he claims, visit him when the moon is new.

The mental state of the former Tsar must, in mercy, be considered along with the thought of the horrible line of murders which preceded him. It is unthinkable that a man should escape the evil effects of such bloody ancestral memories.

Alexander the II., murdered on March 31, 1881, has been seen by Nicholas. One night as he prepared to retire the lights went out, the moon seemed to go red, and Alexander walked on the window ledge. The spattered blood gleamed from his throat and mouth. The Tsar, in an ecstacy of fear, fainted, and the story of the phantom swept over the Winter palace.

Tsar Paul I., done to death in 1807, went insane. Nicholas had seen Paul alone, in his chamber, fighting a band of wraiths, like himself. The ghosts have come and showed to Nicholas on a fairy stage the conspirators winding a purple sash around the demoniac Tsar's neck and twisting it.

Peter III., a drunken boor, has lived again in the chambers of Nicholas. In the dead of night Peter comes to Nicholas to drink again the cup of poison and struggle again from the running noose that coaxed from him his life.

And so, wading through page after page of horror, we go back to the days of Ivan the Terrible, the supreme assassin. Words can hardly describe the cruelties of this monster, but Nicholas understands — for Ivan brings the stench of rotting blood to his chambers—and Nicholas, indeed, understands, when the shade again enacts the murder of his son with an iron bar, and the son turns despairingly for aid to Nicholas, in the flesh, who sickens and faints.

The living Romanoffs are weak and slight in health. Nicholas has fits of crying and morbid reveries disturb all healthy thought.

At Nicholas' coronation, at Moscow, in 1894, he stood on a platform for his inaugural address. His entourage did not tell him that 2,000 of his subjects lay quivering and maimed and dead beneath that platform. They had been trampled to death. Later, when Nicholas was informed of his inauspicious coronation, he screamed and cried.

Each day he thinks of it — and broods over it. He pitifully wonders why the blood of his line will not stay with the worms — why it is restless and wanders abroad in the darkness.

Nicholas has never relished his position as Tsar of all the Russians. There simply was no convenient way to abdicate and his weak will held on to the name of Tsar, while a coterie of mystic priests and scoundrels wielded the power of the throne.

When the revolution of the restless masses forced him to abdicate, he was almost glad to do so. He was at great headquarters when the demands of the canaille were communicated to him. He attempted to transfer the throne to his brother, but the Grand Duke Michael had no inclination towards the unsavory rulership of the melancholy blood that surges through mysterious Russia. The Romanoff dynasty which had ruled for 300 years came to an end. At midnight of March 15, 1917, Nicholas signed his abdication. He delivered a farewell address to the army. They stolidly waited for its termination and then pierced the air with the hymn of imperial freedom — "La Marsellaise."

At a lonely monastery in Siberia a rather slender, under-sized, morbid man broods and walks by himself. He is blond, with a full brown beard, and pale. Sometimes in the lonely Siberian nights he cries, cries from his heart as his brain welcomes strange personalities to torture and rack him.

Alexis, former heir apparent, is the last of the Romanoffs. There is every sign that he suffers the mental anguish of Nicholas. Physically he is almost a wreck. He has taken poison in small and large doses innumerable times. He has been injured and hurt several times. Rasputin, the diabolic monk, had an uncanny sway over the child. When Rasputin was buried at midnight after his murder, the boy seemed to undergo a strange mental metamorphosis.

As the Cossack mumbles to himself on his lonely rides in the southern fogs, "Little brother, we must pity the little white father."

Anti-Drafters to Jail.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

McAlester, Okla., Oct. 20.—Twenty-eight anti-drafters were taken to Ardmore under guard fo rtrial October 22.

Dr. Miller to New York.

Dr. Miller has left for New York City, where he will attend the National Dental association, which will be held there next week. Dr. D. J. Thomas of Maryville is also attending the association.

Await Kaiser's Return.

Amsterdam, Oct. 20.—A conference between the Reichstag political leaders and the Kaiser was arranged today, according to a Berlin dispatch. It will be held on the return of the Kaiser from Constantinople and upon them will depend the political fate of Minister Michaelis.

Return to Home.

Mrs. Ray Wilfley and little daughter, who have been visiting relatives in Maryville left this morning for their home in Steele City, Neb.

To Work With Belle Telephone Co.

Dana Scarbrough, an employee at Reuillard's cafe, will leave tomorrow for Ames, Ia., where he has accepted a position as lineman with the Bell Telephone Co.

Guests at Bakers.

Mrs. Mary Hedgpeth of Skidmore and daughters, Mrs. Susie Cooper of Blanchard, Ia., and Mrs. Ella James of Onawa, Ia., were guests last night of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Baker. Mr. Baker is a son of Mrs. Hedgpeth.

The local recruiting station has been called upon to enlist white men specially qualified to handle colored men, preferable men with previous army service. Men who have been in charge of negro laborers are apparently the men that the Government desires. These men are to be appointed non-commissioned officers in battalions of colored troops.

Dr. Frank Wallis and E. E. Williams returned today from Chicago. They made the trip home in Dr. Wallis' car and on account of muddy roads and tire trouble it took them six days.

Mrs. O. C. Hanna left Thursday for Kansas City, where she will visit her daughter, Miss Hildred, who teaches school there.

At LaBelle School, October 25.

There will be a box supper and pie social at LaBelle school on Thursday evening, October 25. Also the old folks of the community will give the play, "Hans Von Smash." Music for the evening will be furnished by the Metropolitan (colored) minstrels and orchestra. Admission only 10 cents for the men and ladies with boxes will be admitted free. The proceeds will be used for the school.

Triplets Born on a Train.

Denver, Oct. 20.—Mrs. J. C. Atkinson, of Seattle, Wash., became the mother of triplets aboard a westbound Rock Island train yesterday. Two of the children were born in Kansas — one at Ruleton and another at Kanorado—and the third was born at Peconic Siding, just across the Colorado line.

Mrs. Ernest Stafford of Hopkins is shopping in Maryville today.

Mrs. W. D. Porter of Pickering is in Maryville visiting her daughter, Miss Besse Porter.

NEWS FROM ALL NORTHWEST MISSOURI

The record load of timothy seed for Putnam county was brought to Unionville last week by R. A. Cullor, says the Republican. It contained 81½ bushels, and at $3.00 a bushel brought $241.50.

For the lump sum of $200 each, three carloads of 3-year-old steers were sold recently by D. A. Webb, near Unionville, that price being paid for them at the farm, says the Republican.

Being the exact opposite of a rolling stone has gathered a pleasing amount of moss and a lot of civic responsibility for G. A. Conaway at Bigelow, according to the Mound City News-Jeffersonian. Besides being station agent for the Burlington railway at that point Mr. Conaway is W. O. W. clerk, farmer, bee-keeper, poultryman, school director and correspondent for county and metropolitan newspapers. He is now moving into a new and modern residence after occupying his former dwelling for twenty years.

Though only a year old Billy Paul Davidson of Grant City owns one $50 Liberty Bond and will soon have another paid for with buffalo nickels and new dimes saved from the till of his father's drug store.

The upland corn is not hurt by the freeze. Farmers declare this county has produced the biggest corn crop it has ever known.—Gallatin North Missourian.

A worthy movement in the form of a night school in handwriting has been launched at Gallatin by U. G. Alexander to give opportunity to ambitious young folks to improve their spare time.

After railroading for 43 years — and most of that time as an engineer, Tony Nestlebush has been placed on the retired list by the Rock Island, says the Altamont Times. For many years he has had the passenger run between Altamont and St. Joseph.

Because he tipped the beam at only 102 pounds Allen Cannon of Milan was rejected by the Sullivan county draft board the other day. According to the Republican this young man was told by the examiners that he was too small a cannon with which to kill the kaiser.

The Wabash is doing a big business now. The new 2400 engines which they recently put on, haul 4,200 tons. One night last week one train in passing this station had 114 cars and another 112.—Missouri City Items in Liberty Advance.

From 710 acres of grass land Bigelow's hay king, John Coughlin, last week completed the baling of the 1917 crop, consisting of 1,800 tons, reports the correspondent of the Holt County Sentinel.

The Oland church people near Eagleville are paying for their new piano in a rather unique way, says the correspondent of the Bethany Republican. All who are willing to donate their labor are working as apple pickers in a big orchard of the neighborhood, turning their $1.75 a day, each over to the piano fund.

Living in the same house in which he was born 70 years ago, T. F. Conrad of Camden has the additional distinction of having worked as a blacksmith in the same town for 42 years, and in all that time he has missed very few working days, says the Richmond Missourian.

Making 150 gallons of sorghum molasses a day, C. A. Warrick of Amity is busy on the long run of working up 36 acres of cane grown on his own farm besides all that his neighbors may bring in. He will make about 4,000 gallons from his own cane, says the Maysville Herald.

A real community builder passed away at Dearborn last week, in the person of Benton Gabbert, aged 75 years. A resident of that community since childhood this man, says the Democrat, led in establishing the town's first bank, in building its canning factory, in bringing purebred livestock into the community as long ago as 1883 and in many other ways increasing the opportunities and comforts of his neighbors.

After being buried alive under a bank of earth that fell upon him while repairing an old bridge, W. T. Long of Grant City was rescued by fellow workmen and will recover, though yet scarcely able to walk because of the severe bruises received.

Three hundred head of hogs were marketed at Kansas City one day last week by M. M. Keel, of Richmond, and the amount received for them, $11,000, is believed by the News to be the high mark for a single shipment of hogs from a Wray county farm.

Calves Dying of Blackleg.

There are quite a number of cases of blackleg among the calves on farms in this locality, says the Burlington Junction Post. Among those who have lost stock from this disease are Ed Cummins 2; F. W. Nicholas 2; W. W. Bunn 1. Prompt measures are being taken to stop the disease by vaccination, this treatment giving excellent results when used in time.

Lois Markham left today for Bonne Terre, Mo., where she will spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. W. G. Patton.

For Burning Eczema

Greasy salves and ointments should not be applied if good clear skin is wanted. From any druggist for 35c, or $1.00 for extra large size, get a bottle of zemo. When applied as directed it effectively removes eczema, quickly stops itching, and heals skin troubles, also sores, burns, wounds and chafing. It penetrates, cleanses and soothes. Zemo is a clean, dependable and inexpensive, penetrating, antiseptic liquid. Try it, as we believe nothing you have ever used is as effective and satisfying.

The E. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.

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Chas. E. Stilwell.

1c Sale

Embroidery, yard	1c
Lace Insertion, yard	1c
Ribbon, yard	1c
Silk Floss, skein	1c
Tico Forms	1c

SEE WINDOW

D. E. HOTCHKIN.
111 West 3rd St.
MARYVILLE, MO.

TAYLOR COUNTY, IOWA'S LARGEST AND BEST

Poland-China Boar Sale,

Wednesday, October 24

W. O. Bowers of Conway will sell 50 head of cholera-immune extra good lenghty heavy boned young boars. Also a small bunch of choice gilts and 2 sows weighing 700 pounds each; bred for early farrow.

These 50 boars are all sired by Bower's Mammoth Joe, the heaviest boned 2-year-old hog in Iowa. Come see them sale day.

These 50 boars are the best bunch of cholera immune boars we have seen yet. Fall yearlings weighing up to 550 pounds. Spring boars weighing up to 275, not fat but the growthy kind. Come see my big brood sows, averaging 700 pounds sale day.

My herd boar, Joe, is in thin flesh, but weighs 800 pounds as a 2-year-old. Could easily go over the 1,000 mark.

If you want the most popular breeding and the greatest size and quality combined be sure and come to Conway on the noon train Wednesday, October 24. All trains will be met to take you to our hog farm west of Conway.

W. O. Bowers

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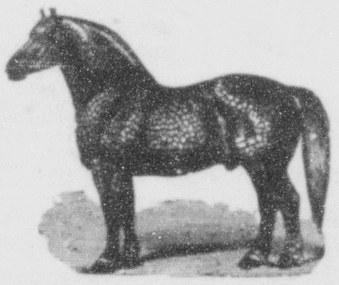

100 HORSES, weight 1,100 to 1,400 pounds, 5 to 9 years old.

200 SOUTHERN MARES—3 to 20 years old—Don't have to be sound, but must be fat.

100 MULES—Any size.

SHOW THEM TO ME—I HAVE NO AGENTS.

READ DATES—BE ON TIME.

I will positively be in—

GRAHAM, 10 to 12 a. m.	Wednesday, Oct. 24
SKIDMORE, 1 to 4 p. m.	Wednesday, Oct. 24
BRADDYVILLE, 10 to 12 a. m.	Thursday, Oct. 25
CLEARMONT, 1 to 3 p. m.	Thursday, Oct. 25
PARNELL, 10 to 12 a. m.	Friday, Oct. 26
RAVENWOOD, 1 to 4 p. m.	Friday, Oct. 26
MARYVILLE	EVERY SATURDAY

Jim Andy Ford

CLOSING OUT SALE

Having decided to leave the state I will sell at public sale at my farm 2½ miles west of Conception Junction, 5½ miles northwest of Arkoe and 12 miles southwest of Maryville, commencing at 10 o'clock sharp, on

Friday, October 26, 1917

The following described property, to-wit:

18 Head of Horses and Mules —Consisting of one pair 5-year-old gray work mules, one coming 3-year-old mule, one coming 2-year-old mule, 2 3-year-old mares, bred; one 2-year-old filley, one 4-year-old horse, one 7-year-old work horse, one 6-year-old mare, bred; one 10-yearold work mare, bred; four yearling colts, draft; 2 sucking mare colts, draft; and DUSSERRE, No. 62238, a black Percheron, 13 years old, wt. about 2,000 pounds; pedigree will be furnished on day of sale.

35 Head of Cattle—Consisting of 13 cows, 6 yearling heifers, 7 yearling steers, 8 calves, and one Black Angus bull, OXFORD ERSTED, No. 208890, 2 years old. The above cows and heifers are all bred to him.

Implements—Consisting of one Deering corn binder, one Deering grain binder, 8 ft. cut, new; one McCormick mower, one rake, one hay derrick, one 6-shovel riding cultivator, one walking cultivator, one 16-inch Sulky plow, one 14-inch walking plow, one 2-row stalk cutter, one corn planter, one riding lister, one harrow, one disc, one roller, 2-hole corn sheller, one hand corn sheller, 5 shovel garden plow, one fanning mill, dipping tanks, dehorning chutes, woven wire stretcher, thirty-gallon kettle, thirty-gallon hog cooker, two sets work harness, one saddle, one Schuttler wagon, one farm truck, new; one hay frame, one buggy, one spring wagon.

Household and Miscellaneous Goods — Consisting of 6-hole range, one coal stove heater, one wood stove, one kitchen cabinet, one cupboard, one dresser, about 25 yards inlaid linoleum, one 60-gallon coal oil tank, one 55-gallon gasoline tank, 12x16 feet canvas, one Edison graphaphone and records, one safe, wt. about 800 pounds, one-half dozen Leghorn roosters, twenty bushels potatoes, five or six cords of hickory stove wood, 200 oak and walnut posts, about 600 bushels oats, seventy-five bushels old corn, thirty tons timothy and alfalfa hay, baled, about half and half; will also sell MAXWELL Five Passenger Touring Car, not run over 3,000 miles, and many other things too numerous to mention.

Lunch on grounds by John Ables.

Terms—All sums of $10 and under, cash; on sums over this amount a credit of 6 month's time will be given, purchaser giving bankable note bearing 8 per cent. No property to be removed until settled for.

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.
Roy Fitzsimmons, Clerk.

Thomas Lyons